

HANLY IS NAMED FOR PRESIDENT BY PROHIBITIONISTS

Former Governor of Indiana
Nominated Over Sulzer
on First Ballot.

PLATFORM FOR ADEQUATE
PROTECTION OF COASTS

Declares Military Programs of
Republicans and Demo-
crats Are Wasteful.

ST. PAUL, July 21.—J. Frank Hanly, former governor of Indiana, was nominated for president of the United States on the first ballot by the national prohibition convention this afternoon.

Hanly received 440 votes against 181 for William Sulzer, former governor of New York, his nearest competitor.

New York Split Vote.
The New York delegation cast thirteen votes for Sulzer and thirty-three for Hanly. Several states changed their votes after complaints for a roll call, most of the changes being in Hanly's favor.

A motion to make Mr. Hanly's nomination unanimous met with some opposition but those opposed were too few to count.

One Vote for Ford.
Frank C. Henderson of Cumberland, Md., received fifty-one votes. James Gilbert Mason, New Jersey; W. P. F. Ferguson, Iowa; Sumner W. Hayes, Indiana; and Henry Ford, Mich., each received one vote.

Delegates Shout and Sing.
A demonstration lasting fifteen minutes, during which delegates paraded the aisles of the convention hall shouting, singing and throwing hats and banners in the air, followed the presentation of the name of Mr. Hanly by Sumner W. Hayes, also of Indiana, who took occasion to announce that he had withdrawn from the race in favor of Mr. Hanly.

Another demonstration broke out when Eugene W. Chittin of Arizona, placed in nomination the name of William Sulzer, former governor of New York. This demonstration was short-lived, however. The mention of Mr. Hanly's name during the second speeches was the signal for an outburst of applause.

Henderson Demonstration Fails.
When Frank C. Henderson of Cumberland, Md., whose candidacy was given strength at several evening hour conferences, was placed in nomination the Maryland delegation made futile efforts to start a demonstration in his behalf.

The party platform, over which a lively fight was expected, was adopted with but one change. A plank was added declaring in favor of the initiative, the referendum and the recall.

"Preparedness for Peace."
The platform denounces the liquor traffic as a crime, declares for national prohibition and equal suffrage. The platform expresses opposition to the wasteful military programs of the democratic and republican parties, but favors "preparedness for peace."

Support would be given a "compact among nations to disarm navies and arm armies," but until "such court and compact are established we pledge ourselves to maintain an effective army and navy and to provide coastal defenses entirely adequate for national protection."

Favors reciprocal trade treaties and legislation to encourage American merchant ships.
Opposes war with Mexico, pledges aid to the protection to American lives and favors use of force when necessary.

Approves strict interpretation of Monroe doctrine.
**FAMINE FACED
BY MANY TOWNS
IN FLOOD PATH**

ASHEVILLE, N. C., July 21.—Food shortage in many of the more remote sections of western North Carolina, which were swept by last Sunday's floods was reported today and information here was that at some places, notably Mortimer and Collettsville, near Hickory, the population actually faces famine unless speedy relief is forthcoming. Federal aid has been asked.

Destruction Great.
Latest reports today were of great destruction by the floods in parts of Wilkes, Ashe, Macon and Alexander counties and it was in those counties that the greatest suffering existed. In many places the people were said to have been living on potatoes alone.

Deaths Stand at Eighty.
Seven additional fatalities were reported overnight and the death toll from the floods now stands at from eighty to ninety. Denial is made of reports Thursday that ten persons had met death at Alta Pass and it there were no fatalities there, the known toll of life stands at eighty.

BIBLE VERSES TELL OF FAMINE NURSE FOILS TURKISH CENSOR

NEW YORK, July 21.—A message in which an American missionary nurse in Turkey obtained news of a famine and which contained verses from the Bible, was today in a bulletin issued today by the American board of commissioners for foreign missions. The message is written on a postcard and follows:

"We shall very soon have to test the first part of the twentieth verse of the fifth chapter of Job and still earlier even than that of the last of Psalm 91:14. What a blessing to have a food which is true and able to feed a host of hungry men. In Hanly's famous mixture in demand here."

The first part of the twentieth verse of the fifth chapter of Job reads: "In famine he shall redeem thee by his faith." The last part of the third verse of the twenty-first Psalm follows: "For he shall deliver thee from the snare of the fowler," and it is added "from the noisome pestilence."

The mixture referred to is a medicine used in children cases. The board of commissioners in Turkey refers to the reference to the mixture to mean that children are being fed in that part of Turkey.

The board refers to the mixture as one of the allusions applied to the censors, but that is not the case.

Work of joining the two converging edges of the city's temporary, cutoff dam will begin this evening or Saturday morning. Construction street said this morning. A log of 100 men and 40 teams is being kept at work constantly.

At the bottom of the cut, the current of the dam has already met, and there remains only a space ten feet high to fill. This space varies in width from two feet at the bottom to twenty feet at the top, the distance being about ten feet at the level of the water.

Quick Damming Effort.
For a rush in the final damming of the cut, hundreds of sandbags today were being massed near the central end. Strong men will go into the current to accurately place the bottom bags. The water is not waist deep, but flows swiftly.

Men with teams and scrapers were reinforcing the dam near the east bank with tons of loose earth on top of the bags where pressure will be strongest once the water is all forced into the old channel. At the other end of the dam the bank has been reinforced with rip-rapped sandbags six feet above the water, and for 500 feet downstream. Other parts of the cutoff dam will be strengthened against anticipated strain before the current is all cut back.

Channel Cut in Sand.
A channel for the water has been cut in the sand for a mile downstream toward the pumping station.

Water flowing to the plant gained a foot Thursday and a half foot today. More is coming down. Dr. Street declares, that is necessary, and the big pump, which is in readiness, has not been started because not yet needed.

**Aeroplanes Fall
2,000 Feet; Pilot
Of Neither Hurt**

PARIS, July 21.—Sergeants M. and W. of the French Flying Corps have established a new record; their machines collided at a height of 2,000 yards became locked together with the crash, and landed in a tree. Both pilots escaped without a scratch.

Neither of the heroes of this adventure were experienced aviators, but now they claim to be "vaccinated" and demand the privilege of going to the front.

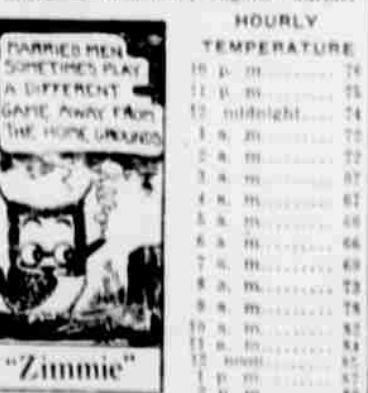
"Vaccinated" in aviation parlance means that the pilot has had his inevitable accident and has come out of it all pockets filled with luck. A man who has been "vaccinated" in the aviation is called in French a "vacciné"—a "lucky dog." he may go on with his dangerous career with a tranquil mind; with ordinary precaution he need fear no disaster.

**Gratifying Drop
In Temperature**

Local Forecast—Generally fair tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature.
State Forecast—Tonight and Saturday generally fair.

ADKANSAS—Partly cloudy.
WEST TEXAS—Generally fair.
KANSAS—Generally, slightly warmer.

**HAPPY MEN
SOMETIMES PLAY
A DIFFERENT
GAME, KNOWING
THE HOLE IN THE
"ZIMMIE"**



ONLY WHITE RAT ACTS TO BE PUT ON, NEW DEMAND

Closed Shop for Theaters in
Future, Asked; Strikers
Lease Playhouse.

Stage employers who went out on strike for higher wages several days ago, have added one more demand—that the theaters run on the "closed shop" plan, it was learned today. The demand that only union acts be employed by the theaters was added yesterday. The additional demand, it is granted, means that the theaters must engage actors and actresses who are members of the White Rat organization, which is the union of stage folk.

Up to yesterday, the stage employers only asked an increase in wages of \$3 a week for each man, but since the theater owners have refused to meet the wage increase, the strikers decided to add the "closed shop" demand.

Theater owners this morning asserted that it is out of all reason to expect them to agree to employ only White Rat acts, for the reason, they say, White Rat acts are far from being the best on the circuits in this section of the country.

The central trades and labor council last night appointed an arbitration committee, with Jack Ramey, Mont K. Powell and W. H. Gadd as members, with instructions to investigate the strike situation and make efforts to bring about a compromise. The committee has authority to call the trades council together Sunday.

STEEL BEING LAID IN FREIGHT YARDS

Steel is already being laid by the Frisco railroad in the fifty-acre tract purchased recently for use in building extensive freight yards in Oklahoma City. Grading forces have been at work since late in June and now have a great deal of the territory ready for track laying.

Although the time for beginning the work of erecting the roundhouse is not known, officials of the Frisco believe the entire work will be finished within the next sixty days.

Increases Not Justified.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—The interstate commerce commission held today that increases of freight rates were not justified on molasses, from New Orleans and other Louisiana and Texas points to destinations on the west banks of the Mississippi river nor on black strap to Kansas, Oklahoma and Fort Calhoun, Neb.

Pretty and Perfect Servant Girls Aim Of Illinois Club

CHICAGO, July 21.—The pale, anemic drudge will no longer slosh around in the kitchens of Wilmette, a fashionable suburb of Chicago, if the plans of the Wilmette Woman's club, announced today, are carried out. The school for servant girls which will open next fall under the club's auspices, is destined, it is said, to boast of a curriculum which ought to make each graduate not only tidy, but beautiful and graceful, a perfect angel of a cook.

The graduate servant girl, it is announced, will be:

Beautiful—the result of calisthenics.

Gracious—the result of folk dancing.

A marvel in reducing the high cost of living—the result of household economy.

Neat as the proverbial pin—the result of social hygiene.

Able intelligently to discuss local elections—the result of civics.

To cook like an angel—the result of domestic science.

It is the plan, according to Mrs. Paul Tobanoff, secretary of the Woman's club, to hold classes in calisthenics and folk dancing each week in addition to the more arduous studies.

ALLIES FIGHT WAY DEEPER IN GERMAN LINES

British Drive North and Advance as Far as Ba-paume Woods.

TENACIOUS FRENCH HOLD
TO NEWLY WON POSITIONS

Russians Announce Capture
of Gumushkaneh in Turkish Armenia.

LONDON, July 21.—The Anglo-French advance in northern France is now a mile and a half deeper in German lines, it was learned today from the French fighting news and dispatches sent to the front line.

Driving northward, Hainaut, and Belgium, toward Hainaut, General Sir Douglas Haig's troops have advanced as far as the Ba-paume woods.

Driven Back in Disorder.
South of the main line, the French have been able to hold trenches captured on Thursday, withstanding a vigorous counter attack, south of Somme, the Germans were driven back in disorder, sustaining serious losses.

Russians Take Gumushkaneh.
The capture by Russian troops of the town of Gumushkaneh, some five miles southwest of Trabzon in Turkish Armenia, was announced today by the Russian war office.

Retirement of the Russians in some sectors of the Volynia battle front is reported in the Anglo-French war report of Thursday, which says:

"In Volynia the Germans pushed the Russian back west of the Ziminsk (Ziminsk) headlands toward the north."

THREE AMERICANS ON SUNKEN BRITISH SHIP

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK.
LONDON, July 21.—A cable reports the British steamship Yzer, 1,000 tons gross, has been sunk. The Yzer sailed June 15 from Portland, Me., for Cebu, France.

Three Americans were members of the crew of the British steamship Yzer, reported today from London as having been sunk. The Yzer carried a cargo of 257,737 bushels of oats.

EXPRESS CARRIERS' REFUND PROPOSAL TO BE REJECTED

It is understood that the corporation commission has informally agreed to reject the express carriers' plan of settlement of the express rate refund cases, and that the commission will issue judgment within a few days against the carriers for the amount due according to the record of the corporation commission.

Some time ago the companies proposed to settle by paying the refund according to their figures, which are considerably less than the commission's.

ARDENT DEFENSE OF FREE SPEECH MADE IN COURT

Socialist, Twice Arrested, in
Strong Plea; City Con-
tends Protection.

When Charles T. Gibson, socialist organizer, appeared this morning before Municipal Judge Spiller in his own defense, the court admitted the innovation of listening for almost an hour to a defense.

Gibson has been arrested twice for violation of the city ordinance which insists that all downtown public speakers first provide themselves with a permit from the mayor. He was released after the first alleged offense, and re-arrested the same day.

At the conclusion of Gibson's plea this morning, Assistant City Attorney Watson asked a continuance of the case for four days to prepare a reply. It is Gibson's avowed intention to fight out in municipal court the validity and measure of justice of the ordinance.

Gibson's defense is that it is directly a blow at free speech. The mayor contends that the ordinance is a "safety first" measure, asserting that police protection, rather than intervention would go hand-in-hand with the permit.

Danger from fire wagons and ambulances and other traffic reasons which make police protection necessary, are argued in favor of the permit ordinance.

EXONERATED



Major General Sir Sam Hughes.

OTTAWA, July 21.—Sir Sam Hughes, minister of militia, is held by the Montreal Daily Star as responsible for the huge expense of equipment that amounts to \$1,000,000, which was paid for by the American government, and which was never delivered.

The equipment was ordered by the American government in 1914, and was never delivered. The equipment was ordered by the American government in 1914, and was never delivered.

Vehicle Light Ordinance in Effect Tonight

Enforcement of the light ordinance on all vehicles, which was to have started last night, will begin this evening, said Mayor Overholser this morning.

The ordinance provides that all vehicles, with the exception of baby carriages, shall be equipped at night with a light plainly in view both from front and rear.

On horse-driven vehicles, in the streets, the light observable from the rear should be on the left side of the vehicle in order to avoid rear-end collisions.

Many transfer wagons and other business vehicles, today were going about the streets with a varied assortment of lights, denoting intention of complying with the new order at the outset.

Lights on these vehicles will be required from the time the city's street lights go on in the evening until they go off in the morning. The Times will publish every day the exact minute on which lamps should be lighted.

RETAILERS DEFER JOINING CHAMBER

Action of the Oklahoma City Retailers' association with respect to affiliation with the reorganized chamber of commerce was deferred today at noon when debate arose as to details of the affiliation agreement. Consequently a committee was appointed to confer with the Chamber of Commerce and to ascertain on what terms the retailers would be accepted as a department. This committee will report next week.

Lake Steamer Ashore.

PUT-IN-BAY, Ohio, July 21.—The passenger steamer Frank E. Kirby, operating between Detroit and Put-in-Bay, ran aground on Ball's Reef here with several hundred passengers on board today. The revenue cutter Merrill has gone to the scene.

BELGIANS RIOT OVER FOO BLACK

Germans Send Thousands
From Occupied Towns
Following Uprising.

ROTTERDAM, July 21.—Food riots which broke out in Belgium and northern France have been suppressed by the German military authorities, according to reports received here from reliable sources. The rioting was especially severe at Liège, Vorst, Boshuis, St. Nicholas, Lokeren and Termonde.

The quelling of the riots in the population centers has been followed by the compulsory evacuation from the cities by the German authorities of large sections of the industrial population. These have been scattered homeless throughout the agricultural regions, the reports say, as punishment and to minimize the risk of a recurrence of the trouble.

The greatest force in the migration took place from the city of Lille, from which 25,000 persons, including women and children were expelled.

PRIVATE DISCHARGED ON RELATIVES' PLEA WON'T LEAVE BORDER

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 21.—Thomas, a Mexican, applied for release from custody in the "Red House" of the First District court, to his relatives in Mexico. Application made by relatives in Mexico to release him from custody in the Red House. Thomas, when informed of his release from custody, expressed his desire to return to Mexico. He was released on the condition that he would not leave the border.

RESOLUTION ASKS WHY MILITIA IS KEPT AT BORDER

Madden Calls on Wilson to
Say Whether Emergency
Still Exists.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—Representative Madden, republican, introduced a resolution today calling on President Wilson to inform the house why the national guard is being kept at the border and if there still is an emergency situation in Mexico. It asks specifically whether the guardmen might be ordered so far as can be sent into Mexico.

Silent as to Terms.
While it was admitted at the state department today that a note had been received from the de facto government of Mexico under date of July 11, proposing the appointment of a joint commission to settle border difficulties, officials refused to comment on the statement given out at Mexico City Thursday night purporting to present the text of the communication.

Arredondo and Polk Confer.
Mr. Arredondo, acting secretary of the state, today went to today's cabinet meeting. It was intimated some formal statement in regard to the progress of preliminary negotiations might be given out later in the day or tomorrow.

Pershing Says Villa
Aims at Torreon

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 21.—Corroboration of the reports that Francisco Villa is personally directing a campaign that has for its immediate object the capture of Torreon, was contained in a report from General Pershing to General Funston today.

General Pershing added that it has been definitely established that Villa is still suffering from the wound in his right leg.

No orders have been sent to General Pershing to resume operations against Villa.

Thirty-Two Die Of Infant Plague

NEW YORK, July 21.—A further decrease in the number of new cases and a slight increase in the number of deaths was shown today in the health department's bulletin on the epidemic of infantile paralysis. During the last twenty-four hours thirty-two children died of the disease in the greater city and eighty new cases were reported.

KANSAS WHEAT YIELD MAY EXCEED 90,000,000 MARK

TOTOKA, Kan., July 21.—Based on threshing returns from several counties of the state, J. C. Mohler, secretary of the state board of agriculture, predicted today that the state yield of wheat may exceed his June estimate of 90,000,000 bushels.

Funston Accompanies Bliss

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 21.—Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, assistant chief of staff, who was sent to the border to investigate the conditions under which the national guardmen are being returned today from the Brownsville district and will leave tonight for Laredo. He will be accompanied by General Funston.

Dispatch Says Oil Carrier Was Taken Enroute to Sweden.

LONDON, July 21.—The American schooner Prins Valdemar has been captured by a German warship while on its way from Philadelphia to Sweden with a cargo of oil, according to a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company, quoting the Copenhagen Politiken. The schooner was taken into Swinemunde.

Firm on Blacklist.

The only American schooner of this name which is listed here belongs to George W. McNear of San Francisco. The McNear firm is one of those included in the recent British blacklist.

Sailed From San Francisco.

Shipping records show that the American sailing vessel Prins Valdemar, a bark, left San Francisco on February 4 for Tellusborg, Sweden. She did not touch at Philadelphia.

OKLAHOMA GUARD REACHES BORDER; TO SAN BENITO

Jerky, Monotonous Trip Across
Texas Ended by First
Regiment.

MILITIA STATIONED IN
BROWNSVILLE REGION

Camp Eighteen Miles From
Gulf and Twenty-Five
From Llano Grande.

BY PAUL COTTRELL,
Staff Correspondent.

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, July 21.—The Oklahoma soldiers are on the border.

After a jerky, monotonous trip across Texas, the train bearing the First regiment Oklahoma national guard, reached the border this afternoon and was assigned to stations at San Benito, San Antonio station at 140 miles from the junction of the San Benito and Rio Grande Valley and the St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico railroads. It is the center of a cluster of small towns in Cameron county, where eastern edge is the Gulf of Mexico.

San Benito is eighteen miles from the Gulf, twenty-five miles from Brownsville and eight miles from the Rio Grande river, which forms the Mexican border. It is twenty-five miles east of Llano Grande, which has been announced as the destination of the Mexican troops.

Men Enjoy Trip.
So far the heat has been less than that experienced in camp at Fort Sill. A thunder storm and rain yesterday afternoon made the air delightfully cool and although somewhat cramped in the day coaches the men enjoyed the trip.

The only illness has been slight indigestion caused by drinking too much water and the eating of watermelons at Dallas and Ennis. Melon peddlers sold out their stocks to the Oklahoma guardmen. Colonel Hoffman and Lieutenant Patterson, who were slightly ill when they boarded the train after leaving camp, have about recovered.

Many Troop Trains.
Troop trains have been rolling down the line for thirty days and the people have become accustomed to the sight of them. At the small towns, usually there were groups about the stations to wave as the trains rumbled past, but there was a noticeable indifference shown by the girls of this section. Occasionally one waves idly from a doorway as the train passes, but few met the trains.

The small boys have been on the job at every station, yelling encouragement to the passing soldiers and waving from the cotton fields.

Cotton Comparison.
The opinion of the Oklahoma guardmen is that Texas has nothing on Oklahoma. The cotton seems but little farther advanced toward maturity than in Oklahoma and does not look as good.

Thursday was the first time any of the Oklahoma men had seen Spanish moss. "Lookee!" shouted one. "This must be an old country. The trees wear whiskers."

Baths Enjoyable.
Baths were the most interesting things the Oklahoma guardmen found in Houston. They had been on the train thirty hours without removing clothing. A quartet, a violin and guitar, composed of Lieutenant Sorogay of the field hospital and Private Dietz Moore, make the evenings enjoyable in the headquarters car. The band serenaded the field staff and company commander this morning.

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We Did

Who told you last evening that Oklahoma is organizing a new regiment?

Who gives you many exclusive stories daily?

We Do

"ALL THE NEWS
FIRST"
That's The Times
Motto